

Monty Fredrickson, P.E. Director – State Engineer

Background Info

Monty Fredrickson was appointed Director - State Engineer of the Nebraska Department of Roads by Governor Dave Heineman on July 6, 2009.

He was named Acting Director in June of 2009, and served as Deputy Director of Engineering since 1992.

As head of Engineering Services for NDOR, Fredrickson was in charge of coordinating bridge, traffic and right-of-way studies; designing, planning and developing roadways and road improvement projects; overseeing materials and research; and working with officials in city and county governments to coordinate local roads projects.

He began his career at the Department in 1970, working as a survey chief and inspector for the Department's Omaha construction district. He came to Lincoln to work as a designer the following year, working his way up to assistant design engineer over the next 17 years. In that time, he worked on projects for rural and urban areas, as well as expressway and Interstate projects.

He returned to Omaha, working for four years as the District Two Engineer in charge of construction and maintenance before becoming Deputy Director of Engineering.

A native of Stromsburg, he was a mechanical engineer with Shell Oil Company in New Orleans for a year after graduating from the University of Nebraska–Lincoln in 1969, with a degree in civil engineering.

Fredrickson is a registered professional engineer.